

PO Job Risk Assessment

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Job Title: Working with Hazardous Chemicals Job Number or Job Identifier: PO-JRA-010	Frequency (B)	≤once/year	≤once/month	≤once/week	≤once/shift	>once/shift
Job Description: Physics working and handling chemicals with the following hazards: Carcinogens, Highly acute Toxin, Reproductive toxins, Corrosives, Strong Oxidizers, Highly Reactive Materials, Perchlorates, Oils, Explosives, Peroxide forming, Pyrophoric Materials, PCBs, Pesticides/herbicides, Asbestos, & Controlled substances Training and Procedure List (Optional):	Severity (C)	First Aid Only	Medical Treatment	Lost Time	Partial Disability	Death or Permanent Disability
	Likelihood (D)	Extremely Unlikely	Unlikely	Possible	Probable	Multiple
Rev. #: 0	Date: April 21, 2005					
Stressors (if applicable, please list all): Environmental temperature, time restraints		Reason for Revision (if applicable):			Comments:	

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Storing containers	Fire; Explosion; spill; chemical reactions; exposure via inhalation	Segregation of hazard types; flammable and acid cabinets; CMS; work planning; procedures; PPE; area monitoring; personnel monitoring; ventilation; secondary containment; spill response; hazardous waste controls; use of safer substitutes; Tier 1; container labeling; area posting; shelf-life monitoring; containers specific for the hazard	Y	1	5	3	1	15								
Moving containers within the lab	Spillage via tripping/dropping	CMS, work planning, procedures; PPE; area monitoring; personnel monitoring; secondary containment; spill response; hazardous waste controls; Tier 1; container labeling; containers specific for the hazard	N	1	5	2	2	20								

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Measuring chemicals- pipeting; balances; filling sample cells, etc.	Spillage; exposure to vapors, mists, dusts	Drop pads; CMS, work planning, procedures; PPE; area monitoring; personnel monitoring; use of small volumes; ventilation; secondary containment; spill response; hazardous waste controls; use of safer substitutes; Tier 1; container labeling; area posting; containers specific for the hazard	N	1	5	2	2	20								
Mixing, reacting; & synthesizing hazardous substances	Uncontrolled reactions; exothermic reaction; explosions; exposure to vapors, mists, dusts; creation of unknown hazards	SBMS WWC; CMS, work planning, procedures; PPE; area monitoring; personnel monitoring; use of small volumes; ventilation; secondary containment; spill response; hazardous waste controls; use of safer substitutes; container labeling; area posting; reactions vessels specific for the hazard	Y	1	5	3	2	30								

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Distilling of hazardous substances	Uncontrolled reactions, exothermic reaction, exposure to vapors, mists, dusts	SBMS WWC; CMS, work planning, procedures; PPE; area monitoring; personnel monitoring; use of small volumes; ventilation; secondary containment; spill response; hazardous waste controls; use of safer substitutes; Tier 1; container labeling; area posting; reactions vessels specific for the hazard	N	1	1	4	2	8								
Using controlled substances	Exposure to vapors, mists, dusts	SBMS Controlled Substances plus all controls of hazardous chemicals	N	1	1	3	1	3								
Analysis by instrumentation such as HPLC, GC, ICP, AA, MS, electrodes, thermometer	Exposure to vapors, mists, dusts	SBMS WWC; CMS, work planning, procedures; PPE; area monitoring; personnel monitoring; use of small volumes; ventilation; secondary containment; spill response; hazardous waste controls; use of safer substitutes; container labeling; area posting; containers specific for the hazard	N	1	4	2	2	16								

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Handling, storing, testing, and distilling peroxide forming compounds	Rupture of container; exposure to vapors; explosion; spillage via tripping/dropping	Periodic testing as per SBMS WWC; CMS, work planning, procedures; PPE; area monitoring; personnel monitoring; use of small volumes; ventilation; secondary containment; spill response; hazardous waste controls; use of safer substitutes; Tier 1; container labeling; shelf-life monitoring; containers specific for the hazard	N	1	2	4	2	16								
Handling, storing, testing pyrophoric compounds	Rupture of container; exposure to vapors, dust, mists, fumes; fire; spillage via tripping/dropping	CMS, work planning, procedures; PPE; area monitoring; personnel monitoring; use of small volumes; ventilation; secondary containment; spill response; hazardous waste controls; use of safer substitutes; Tier 1; container labeling; shelf-life monitoring; containers specific for the hazard	N	1	2	4	2	16								

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Handling, storing, testing sensitizers & acute toxins	Exposure to vapors; dust, mists, fumes; fire; spillage via tripping/dropping	CMS, work planning, procedures; PPE; area monitoring; personnel monitoring; use of small volumes; ventilation; secondary containment; spill response; hazardous waste controls; use of safer substitutes; Tier 1; container labeling; area posting; containers specific for the hazard	N	1	2	4	3	24								
Transporting of chemicals to other locations within a building	Spillage via tripping/dropping; exposure to vapors, mists, dusts	Work planning, procedures; PPE; use of small volumes; secondary containment; spill response; hazardous waste controls; use of safer substitutes; container labeling; containers specific for the hazard	Y	1	4	2	2	16								
Transporting of chemicals to other locations outside a building but within BNL	Spillage via tripping/dropping; exposure to vapors, mists, dusts	Work planning, procedures; PPE; use of small volumes; secondary containment; spill response; hazardous waste controls; use of safer substitutes; container labeling; containers specific for the hazard	Y	1	2	2	2	8								

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Transporting of chemicals to other locations outside of BNL	Spillage via tripping/dropping; exposure to vapors, mists, dusts	Work planning, procedures; PPE; use of small volumes; secondary containment; spill response; hazardous waste controls; use of safer substitutes; container labeling; containers specific for the hazard; DOT regulations	Y	1	2	2	2	8								
Further Description of Controls Added to Reduce Risk:																
*Risk:	0 to 20 Negligible	21 to 40 Acceptable	41 to 60 Moderate			61 to 80 Substantial			81 or greater Intolerable							